NEIGHBORHOOD 3 INMAN/HARRINGTON





BOUNDARIES: bounded by the B&A Railroad, Hampshire Street, and the Somerville line.

POPULATION: 7,210 residents

2,734 households

AVERAGE HOUSEHOLD INCOME:

\$30,231

Neighborhood #3 is encompassed in the patrol boundaries of Car 1 (2 officers) and Car 3R (1 officer). Also included within this area are walking routes 3A, 3B, and 3C.

2001 SECOND QUARTER REVIEW

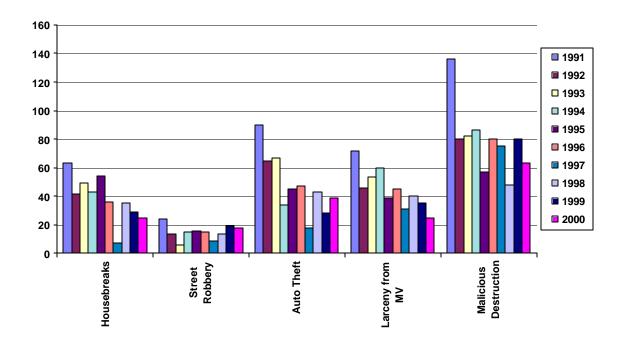
Housebreaks nearly doubled during the second quarter of 2001, increasing from 7 incidents this time last year, to 13 incidents this year. Most items targeted during these breaks were high-end electronics such as TVs, laptop computers, and jewelry where entrance was usually gained by forcing the front door open by tampering with the lock(s). • Street robberies dropped tremendously, accounting for a mere 3% of all the crime that occurred in Neighborhood 3 this quarter. Two of the three incidents resulted in the theft of cash, while the other incident resulted in the theft of a cell phone. • No patterns of auto theft have been identified in this area and the number of incidents decreased by 22%. These incidents took place all around the Inman//Harrington area. • When considering the number of car related crimes, larcenies from MVs are disproportionately high, doubling from the number of incidents this time last year. These larcenies usually occur by breaking a window to gain entrance and then removing items apparent to the perpetrator's eyes such as cash, cell phones, and coins. • Most of the malicious destruction incidents involved motor vehicles and the defacement of them. • Most of the drug arrests involved the possession or sale of marijuana.

| Comparison of Target Crime Statistics Second Quarter 2000 & 2001 | | | | | | |
|---|------------------------|------------------------|----------|--|--|--|
| CRIME | 2 nd Q 2000 | 2 nd Q 2001 | % CHANGE | | | |
| Housebreaks | 7 | 13 | + 86% | | | |
| Street Robbery | 13 | 3 | - 77% | | | |
| Auto Theft | 18 | 14 | - 22% | | | |
| Larceny from MVs | 11 | 22 | + 100% | | | |
| Malicious Destruction | 25 | 37 | + 48% | | | |
| Drug Arrests | 3 | 9 | + 200% | | | |

NEIGHBORHOOD PROFILE AND HISTORICAL SYNOPSIS

The Inman Square/Harrington neighborhood's population ranks at the median for the city; consequently, so does many of its crimes. Inman/Harrington is also marked by a number of commercial establishments along Cambridge Street, in Inman Square, and around One Kendall Square.

- Inman/Harrington has an average number of **housebreaks**, given its population. Cambridge Street, Hampshire Street, Elm Street, Columbia Street, and Willow Street have been "hot spots" for this crime. The density of housebreaks increases in the lower half of the neighborhood.
- **Auto theft** and **malicious destruction** have also remained at nominal levels in the 1990s. The related crime of **larceny from motor vehicles**, on the other hand, is lower in only three other neighborhoods.
- The Harrington School and Donnelly Field guarantee a certain share of juvenile related crime, such as vandalism, gang fights, and petty larcenies.
- Drug sales are sometimes a problem on Windsor Street, Webster Street, and areas around Donnelly Field.



| ANNUAL AVERAGE FOR INMAN/HARRIGNTON AREA TARGET CRIMES | | | | | | |
|--|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|------------|--|
| Crime | 1981-1990 | Rank 81-90* | 1991-2000 | Rank 91-00* | Rank 2000* | |
| Housebreaks | 57 | 9 | 40 | 7 | 8 | |
| Street Robbery | 14 | 8 | 15 | 7 | 4 | |
| Auto Theft | 89 | 10 | 46 | 6 | 5 | |
| Larceny from MVs | 66 | 9 | 45 | 10 | 9 | |
| Malicious Destruction | 94 | 7 | 83 | 6 | 8 | |

^{*}Ranks are out of 13 neighborhoods, with 1 indicating the highest crime rate and 13 the lowest